

## STATE OF TENNESSEE

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July 7, 2014

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Subject:

Aquatic Resource Alteration Permit Application NR09MS.023

0955615 US Inc. - Tipple 2

NPDES # TN0053848, SMCRA # 3268

Dear Mr. Mills:

On May 18, 2009, the Division received an application for a §401 Certification/Aquatic Resource Alteration Permit from National Coal Corporation for activities associated with NPDES # TN0053848. The NPDES permit has now been transferred to 0955615 US Inc. National Coal Corporation did not respond to the July 6, 2009, deficiency letter which ceased review and processing of the application. If you wish to have the application package returned please notify the Division within thirty days of the date of this letter, otherwise the application will be discarded.

If you intend to pursue the alterations, a new application is required. Effective July 1, 2014, permit fees for Aquatic Resource Alteration Permits have been revised and are available for review at <a href="http://www.tn.gov/environment/permits/arap.shtml#fees">http://www.tn.gov/environment/permits/arap.shtml#fees</a>. Annual maintenance fees are now required for projects that require monitoring or compensatory mitigation. For every subsequent year coverage is maintained, the applicant will be assessed this fee, due upon receipt of invoice.

If you need any additional information or clarification, please contact Dave Turner at (865) 594-5541 or Dan Murray at (865) 594-5549.

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Dan Murray

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